Fodder banks and fodder kits

2106. SHRI RAMA MOHANA RAO:
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of amounts allocated to the States for setting up of fodder banks and fodder kits during the year 2002-2003;

(b) whether the fodder banks and kits have been sanctioned duly to the States where the drought situation is prevailing; and

(c) if so, the allocation made to Andhra Pradesh in 2002-2003 for setting up of fodder banks and fodder kits?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV):

(a) An amount of Rs. 123.65 lakhs hasbeen released to the States of Karnataka (Rs. 13.55 lakhs), Jammu and Kashmir (Rs. 55.50 lakhs) and Uttaranchal (Rs. 54.60 lakhs) for setting up of fodder banks during 2002-2003. There is no provision in the scheme to allocated the funds to the States for fodder kits. However, fodder kits are allotted to the States for onward supply to the farmers free of cost. Fodder kits allotted to the States during 2002-2003 are given in the enclosed statement *(See* below).

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) The Govt. of Andhra Pradesh was allotted 16,000 nos. of fodder minikits during 2002-2003. No proposal was received from the state for establishment of fodder bank during 2002-2003.

Statement

Fodder Minikits allotted to the states during 2002-2003

(Nos. fodder kits)

S. No.	State	2002-03
1.	Andhra Pradesh	16000
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	1500
3.	Assam	2000

S. No. State	2002-03
4.. Bihar	15000
5. Chhattishgarh	7600
6. Goa	1000
7. Gujarat	39000
8. Haryana	11440
9. Himachal Pradesh	13000
10. J and K	5000
11. Jharkhand	6600
12. Karnataka	32830
13. Kerala	7000
14. Madhya Pradesh	44000
15. Maharashtra	20000
16. Manipur	1500
17. Meghalaya	1000
18. Mizoram	900
19. Nagaland	700
20. Orissa	25000
21. Punjab	16000
22. Rajasthan	46633
23. Sikkim	1400
24. Tamil Nadu	12720
25. Tripura	1500
26. Uttar Pradesh	53000
27. Uttaranchal	6760
28. West Bengal	11000
TOTAL:	400083

Foodgrains to drought affected states

2107. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) how much foodgrains have been allotted to the worst drought affected States like Rajasthan, Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh, Karnataka and Andhra Pradesh during the last three years;